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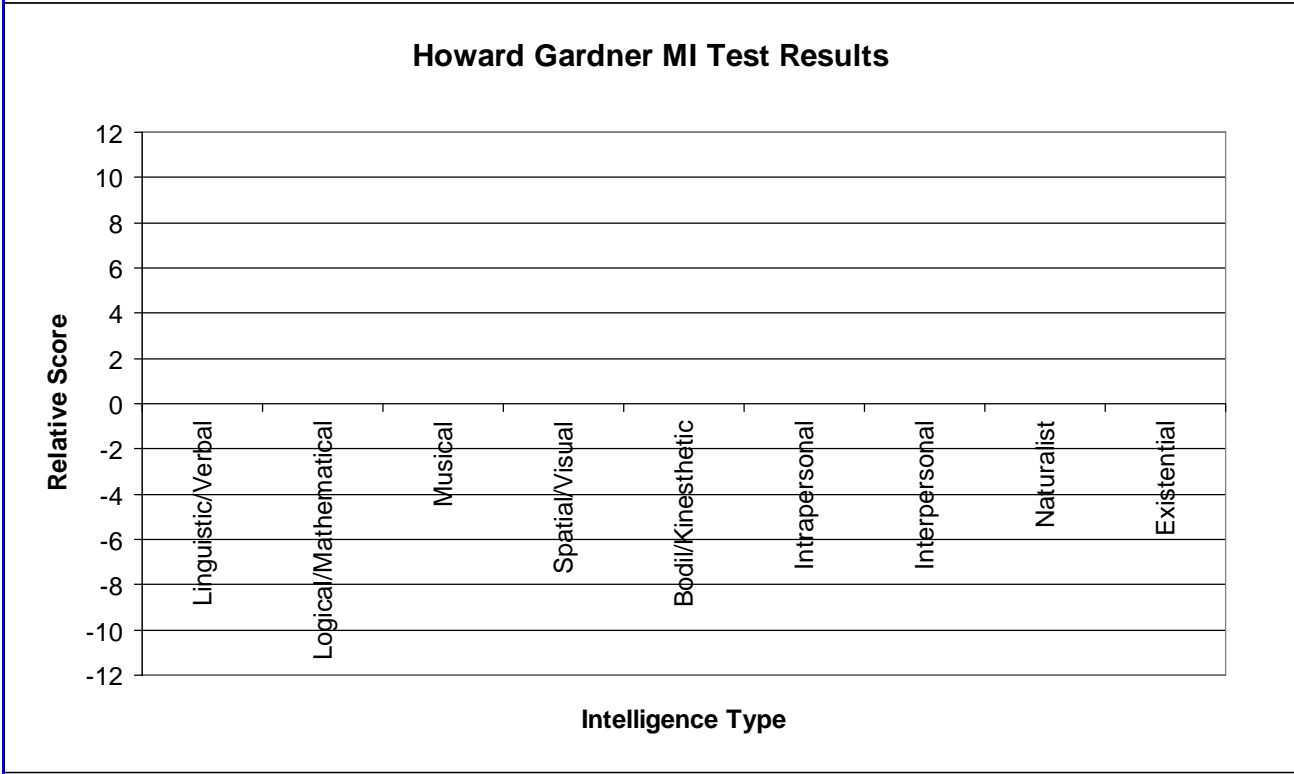
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My pet is also one of my best friends - I couldn't bare to be without them.								
I like taking photos								
I remember facts, figures and formulas easily								
I learn best by practicing skills, rather than reading about them or having someone show me.								
I sing in the shower and often sing to myself								
I always ask "Why" rather than "what" or "how"								
I enjoy scary movies and thrilling rides - I'm a bit of a dare-devil								
I prefer to read the newspaper or listen to the radio rather than watch TV.								
I enjoy reading, debates and discussions								
People often come to me for a chat								
I would prefer to go to the opera or concert								
I would rather go to a party or social gathering than sit at home by myself								
I can work out mechanical things and how to fix them								
I like forming rational explanations of events								
I have hobbies or play sports that involve only me								
I can visualise how things would look from a different angle								
At school I really enjoyed biology and natural sciences like geography								
I am sensitive to colour and aesthetics								
At school, I found English and social studies like history easier than maths and science								
I fidget and can't still for long								
I'm good at throwing and catching								
I always read the instructions first								
I am good at debates and resolving disputes								
I find that music affects my mood - I'm happy when I sing, sad songs make me sad, etc.								
I am fascinated by philosophical questions like "what is the meaning of life?"								
I'm good at using my hands and enjoy hobbies like timberwork, craft, etc.								
I listen to grammar and choice of words when talking to someone								
I'm a diligent recycler and strive to reduce energy and water use where I can								
I enjoy art and seem to be able to arrange artwork just right								
I often reflect on events and question what they mean								
I like to learn about myself and my feelings								
I get a buzz out of writing a good piece, or being recognised for good writing								
I see counselling and mediation as beneficial ways of self-reflection								
I have an impressive collection of music that I couldn't bare to part with								
I get upset when other people are upset								
I like watching science/nature documentaries								
I enjoy jigsaw puzzles and other visual puzzles								
I have a library of books that I couldn't bare to part with								
I enjoy challenging experiences and activities								
I like to spend my spare time outdoors doing something								
My friends think I have a computer-brain								
I am a natural leader and can get people to come around to my train of thought								
I play a musical instrument								
I have lots of pictures and photographs in my house								
At school I really enjoyed sciences like astronomy and creation/ evolution.								
I like spending time alone								
I can do maths in my head								
I am realistic about my abilities and limitations								
I can read and interpret maps easily - I never get lost								
I am a very social person								



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**Interpretation:**

What intelligences are above the line?  
 What intelligences are below the line?  
 Are any intelligences above the line more dominant than others?  
 Are they all much the same?

Intelligences above the line indicate preferred intelligences, whereas intelligences below the line are the ones that you don't show any preference towards and would be considered 'uncharacteristic for you'.

It's not unusual to have 3 (or sometimes 4-5) intelligences with a similar strength. In this case, it just shows that you are 'well balanced' from an intelligence point of view and exhibit characteristics of several intelligence types.

Read the descriptions for all intelligence types - do you agree?

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Don't agree with the outcome? Make sure you were completely honest and only said "y" to the statements that DEFINITELY describe how you feel/ think. If any were 'doubtful', change these to "n" and recalculate.

**Example:**

Now, add the total number of "y" in each column:  
Now add the total number of "n" in each column:

No. of "Y"	4	6	7	10	2	5	8	8	3
No. of "N"	8	6	5	2	10	7	4	4	9

Now take the No. of "N" from the No. of "Y":

' minus "N"	-4	0	2	8	-8	-2	4	4	-6
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